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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I chose an independent ISP (Sonic) because they provide excellent service and are responsive to my needs -- AND competitively priced. I have had service from the major players (Comcast, ATT) and know that without competition, their service would become indifferent to the needs of "small fry" like me. Sonic provides me with landline and internet, and in an area where choices are few, they were willing to upgrade services and get me from DSL to fiber. Please do not grant USTelcomm's petition and keep the competition alive! (this is AMERICA - we LIVE to COMPETE!)

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